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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: | |) | |
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| HIROHARU TAKAHASHI | |) | |
| | | : | Group Art Unit: 2155 |
| Application No.: 10/081,839 | |) | |
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| Filed: February 25, 2002 | |) | |
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| For: | NETWORK INTERFACE |) | |
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 7, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: